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Dear Sir:

Please enter the following amendment and consider the accompanying remarks  
in response to the Office Action dated January 14, 2008.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins  
on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 3 of this paper.

**Appendix A** containing a table re the Status of All Claims begins on page 9 of  
this paper.